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WHEREAS, MICRONICS, INC., a Delaware corporation having a place of business at 8463 154<sup>th</sup> Avenue NE, Redmond, WA 98052 (hereinafter referred to as Assignee), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in, to and under said invention and any United States Letters Patent to be obtained thereon;

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